

# It's The Law!



**Slow Down**

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On August 28, 2002, a law went into effect in the State of Missouri which protects police officers and other emergency responders working alongside our highways.

The law requires motorists to approach cautiously when an emergency vehicle is stopped ahead with its lights flashing. Motorists must change lanes away from the emergency vehicle if they are on a multi-lane highway and can do so **SAFELY**. If drivers can't change lanes safely, or they are on a two-lane highway, they must slow down while maintaining a safe speed so as not to impede other traffic.

A violation can result in fines and/or imprisonment.

# **Their Safety Is On Your Shoulders**

**For more information,  
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